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Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, the last communication received from the Patent and Trademark Office was the Notice of Acceptance of Power of Attorney mailed on July 6, 2005. In a recent communication with the Examiner, Applicant was informed that the application is under review in the Office of Quality Assurance. Applicant hereby urgently requests that the Patent Office advise Applicant's undersigned attorney as to the status of the application.

Favorable and prompt consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted

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